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Amendment of Section 73.202(b), ) MB Docket No. 05-282  
Table of Allotments, ) RM-11229  
FM Broadcast Stations. )  
(Rockmart and Aragon, Georgia, and )  
Lynchburg and Chattanooga, Tennessee) )

To: Office of Secretary  
Attention: Assistant Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau

**COMMENTS ON NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING**

Woman's World Broadcasting, Inc. ("WWB"), by its counsel, and pursuant to Sections 1.415 and 1.420 of the Commission's Rules, hereby files its Comments on the Audio Division's *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, DA 05-2693, released October 14, 2005 [70 Fed. Reg. 66329] ("NPRM").<sup>1</sup> In support whereof, the following is shown:

1. WWB, licensee of Station WTSH-FM, Channel 296C2, Rockmart, Georgia, filed a Petition for Rule Making proposing to change the community of license for Station WTSH-FM from Rockmart to Aragon, Georgia, providing a first local service to Aragon, upgrading the channel to Channel 296C1, and modifying the license of WTSH-FM to operate on Channel 296C1 at Aragon. WWB showed that the proposed allotment of Channel 296C1 at Aragon is mutually exclusive with the current allotment of Channel 296C2 at Rockmart. In order to accommodate the proposed allotment, WWB requested the substitution of Channel 230A for vacant Channel 296A at Lynchburg, Tennessee. WWB also requested the reclassification of Station WSKZ(FM), Chattanooga,

<sup>1</sup> Comments are due by December 5, 2005, so these Comments are timely filed.

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Tennessee, to Class C0, to accommodate WTSH-FM at Aragon. The Audio Division issued an order requiring the licensee of WSKZ to show cause why its authorization should not be modified to specify operation on Channel 293C0 in lieu of Channel 293C. Because the licensee did not submit a response, the Audio Division ordered the modification of the authorization of Station WSKZ(FM) to specify operation on Channel 293C0, Chattanooga, Tennessee. If WWB's petition is granted, WWB will file an application for Channel 296C1 at Aragon, and will construct the facilities if its application is granted.

2. As set forth *infra*, Aragon is a community for allotment purposes. It is also independent of Rome, Georgia, or Dalton, Georgia.

3. Under the priorities set forth in *Revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures*,<sup>2</sup> the proposed reallocation of Channel 296C1 at Aragon would be preferred, because it would satisfy priority three, "first local service," and retention of Channel 296C2 at Rockmart would not provide a first local service.<sup>3</sup> Neither Rockmart nor Aragon is located within an urbanized area, however, the NPRM notes that both the existing and proposed allotment would provide 100 percent 70 dBu signal coverage to the Rome, Georgia, Urbanized Area. In addition, the proposed allotment would cover approximately 74 percent of the Dalton, Georgia, Urbanized Area, and would increase

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<sup>2</sup> 90 FCC2d 88, 91-92 (1982). The FM allotment priorities are the following: (1) First full-time aural service; (2) Second full-time aural service; (3) First local service; and (4) Other public interest matters. Equal weight is given to priorities (2) and (3).

<sup>3</sup> Rockmart will continue to be served by Station WZOT(AM), so the allotment of Channel 296C1 to Aragon will not result in the removal of the sole local service from Rockmart.

coverage of the Atlanta, Georgia, Urbanized Area.<sup>4</sup> Under those circumstances, the Audio Division requested that WWB provide an analysis under *Faye and Richard Tuck*, 3 FCC Rcd 5374 (1988). That analysis follows:

#### ***Tuck Showing***

4. Under *Tuck*, the Commission considers (a) the degree to which the station would provide coverage not only to the designated community of license but to the nearby metropolis; (b) the size and proximity of the designated community vis-a-vis the central city and (c) the degree to which the proposed community is independent from the central city. The *Tuck* criteria reveal that Aragon clearly passes the Commission's tests for independence.

**Factor (A) (the degree to which the station would provide coverage not only to the designated community of license but to the nearby metropolis).** Attachment 1 hereto is a Technical Statement to which is attached a map that shows that, from the transmitter site authorized in the WTSH-FM license, 100% of the Rome, Georgia, Urbanized Area would be covered by a 70 dBu contour, which would continue to be the case if WTSH-FM is permitted to relocate to Aragon from the allotment coordinates.<sup>5</sup> Currently, none of the Dalton, Georgia, Urbanized Area is covered by a 70 dBu contour, but that would increase to approximately 74% if WTSH-FM relocates to Aragon.

**Factor (B) (Aragon's population as a percentage of the population of Rome and Dalton, and the distance between city centers).** The 2000 population of Aragon

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<sup>4</sup> Station WTSH-FM currently provides service to 0.5 percent of the Atlanta, Georgia, Urbanized Area. That coverage would increase to 5.6 percent, if WWB's proposal is adopted.

<sup>5</sup> Allotment Coordinates for WTSH-FM at Aragon, GA: 34-22-02 NL and 84-58-33 WL, at a site 36.4 km (22.6 miles) north of Aragon.

was 1,039. According to the U. S. Census, the 2000 population of Rome was 34,980. The population of Dalton was 27,912.<sup>6</sup> Attachment 1 shows that the center of Aragon is 15.84 miles (25.50 kilometers) distant from the center of Rome; and 50.16 miles (80.72 kilometers) from the center of Dalton.

**Factor (C) (Aragon's status as an independent community).** The following evidence indicates, consistent with Commission precedent, that Aragon is independent of Rome and Dalton, and that Aragon deserves a first local service preference under *Revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures*, 90 FCC Rcd 88, 91 (1988). In considering whether an outlying community is independent of a central city in the vicinity, the Commission considers eight sub-factors. Each subfactor is addressed in the following:

**Sub factor 1-The extent to which community residents work in the larger metropolitan areas, rather than the specified community.** WWB has been unable to locate any published information showing exactly the extent to which Aragon residents work in Rome or Dalton rather than Aragon; however, it is logical to assume that some Aragon residents work in Rome which is approximately 15 miles distant, but few in Dalton, which is approximately 50 miles distant.

**Sub factor 2- Whether the smaller community has its own newspaper or other media that covers the community's local needs and interests.** There is no local newspaper or media.

**Subfactor 3-- Whether community leaders and residents perceive the specified community as being an integral part of, or separate from, the larger metropolitan community.** Attachment 2 is a letter from the Hon. Brenda Gazaway,

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<sup>6</sup> Source: <http://factfinder.census.gov>

mayor of the City of Aragon. Mayor Gazaway states that she and the residents of Aragon view Aragon to be a completely separate community from Rome or Dalton. Mayor Gazaway states that Aragon is an incorporated self-dependent municipality. The Mayor and four council members are elected by the citizens of Aragon.

**Subfactor 4-- Whether the specified community has its own local government and elected officials.** As established by Attachment 2, Aragon has its own elected officials, a Mayor and city council members. WWB's petition stated that the 2000 Census showed a population of 1,039; however, WWB is informed that in 2002 Aragon annexed a subdivision bringing the current population to over 1,200 according to estimates from the Coosa Valley Regional Development Center. Aragon, Georgia is an incorporated city, which received its charter in 1971. Aragon has a mayor and four city council members who set government policy and oversee the administrative functions performed by eleven municipal employees. The City is divided into four departments: Police, Fire, Public Works and Building. The City has eleven fulltime employees and is housed in a new Municipal complex completed in 2002, which houses City Hall, the Mayor's Office, Fire Department, Police Department, Municipal Court, and the Aragon Disaster and Rescue Team. The Public Works Department provides garbage service to the City of Aragon and also oversees a Parks and Recreation Complex, which include City parks and a softball and recreational complex. Aragon has a City Building Inspector operating under the Building Department. Aragon is located in Polk County and is not dependent on any urbanized area either Rome/Floyd County or Dalton/Whitfield County according to the City Attorney W. Gene Richardson (see Attachment 3). The City is self-supporting and has several sources of revenue including: property taxes, local option

sales tax, garbage collection fees, Municipal Court fines, etc. Cable television service is provided by Charter Communications.

**Subfactor 5-- Whether the smaller community has its own zip code and/or telephone book provided by the local telephone company.** Aragon has its own zip code which is 30104, and post office. It does not have a separate telephone book.

Aragon does not share a telephone directory with Rome, but does share listings with Rockmart or Polk County, Georgia.<sup>7</sup>

**Subfactor 6-- Whether the community has its own commercial establishments, health facilities and transportation systems.** Aragon has seven churches, the Aragon cemetery, and a variety of local businesses. Aragon has numerous businesses providing both products and services to the community such as Dollar General Stores, Godbee Siding and Aragon Florist. Aragon is served by Georgia State Hwy. 101 and the Norfolk-Southern Railway. Aragon is home to seven churches: Aragon Baptist, Euharlee Baptist, Aragon Methodist Church, Flint Hill Baptist, Cross Roads Baptist, Mount Tabor Baptist, New Bethel Baptist. The Aragon Historical Society has its own building in the downtown area, along with the Davitte Masonic Lodge #513 building which was erected in 1992. The major employers located within the City are: Quality Fibers Industries and Brown Enterprises. The City-owned cemetery is maintained by the Aragon Memorial Authority. The Aragon Cemetery was established in 1897. The Redmond Family Care Medical Clinic is located in the City of Aragon and has two practicing medical doctors in residence.

**Subfactor 7-- The extent to which the specified community and the central city are a part of the same advertising market.** Aragon is not a part of the Rome or

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<sup>7</sup> See Declaration of Randy Quick, General Manager of WTSH-FM, Attachment 4.

Dalton advertising markets. The closest community with media is Rockmart, which is not within an Urbanized Area.<sup>8</sup>

**Subfactor 8-- The extent to which the specified community relies on the larger metropolitan area for various municipal services such as police, fire protection, schools and libraries.** As noted *supra*, the Mayor and City Attorney of Aragon state that Aragon is not dependent on any urbanized areas, including Rome or Dalton.<sup>9</sup>

### Summary

5. In sum, WTSH-FM already covers 100% of the Rome Urbanized Area and could cover a substantial portion of the Dalton Urbanized Area.<sup>10</sup> The centers of Rome and Aragon are 15.84 miles apart. The centers of Dalton and Rome are 50.16 miles apart. Under the most important *Tuck* factor, independent community status expressed in *Tuck* sub factors 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8, Aragon is clearly eligible for a first local preference, despite inconclusive findings under *Tuck* sub factors 2 and 7.<sup>11</sup>

6. In regard to Subfactor 1, no evidence could be presented to show the extent to which Aragon residents work in Rome as opposed to Aragon. On Subfactor 2, whether

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<sup>8</sup> See Attachment 4, Declaration of Randy Quick.

<sup>9</sup> Attachment 5 consists of various documents printed from the internet showing Aragon's status as an independent community.

<sup>10</sup> In *Arlington, Oregon, et al.*, 19 FCC Rcd 12803 (2004), the Audio Division found the community of Gladstone, Oregon, was entitled to a local service preference even though the relocating station would serve 80 percent of the Portland, Oregon, Urbanized Area.

<sup>11</sup> In *Crisfield, Maryland; Belle Haven, Cape Charles, Exmore, Nassawadox and Poquoson, Virginia*, 18 FCC Rcd 19199 (MB 2003), the Audio Division found that Poquoson, Virginia, was independent of other larger cities in the Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Newport News, Virginia Urbanized Area, where Poquoson's findings on *Tuck* factors 1 and 7 were inconclusive. The Audio Division stated that of the three *Tuck* criteria, the interdependence of the proposed community to the urbanized area is the most important.

the smaller community has its own local newspaper or other media providing news and advertising for Ashville, the Audio Division could not make a favorable finding because there was no local newspaper. Here Ashville and Aragon are similarly situated. On Subfactor 3, perception of community leaders and residents, and Subfactor 4, local government and elected officials, the Audio Division found in favor of Ashville which was governed by a mayor and a six-member village council. The Aragon local government has its own police, utility, recreation, tax and zoning departments. WWB has submitted evidence to show that Aragon's characteristics are similar to Ashville's on these Subfactors. On Sub factor 5, the Audio Division could not make a favorable finding because Ashville residents are listed in the Circleville, Ohio, phone book and Ashville shares a zip code with nearby South Bloomfield. However, unlike Ashville, Aragon has its own zip code, so the Audio Division should find favorably on Sub factor 5. Under Subfactor 6, the availability of commercial establishments, health facilities and transportation system there was a finding of independence for Ashville, and WWB's evidence should result in the same finding for Aragon. Under Subfactor 7, the Audio Division was unable to make a favorable finding concerning the extent Ashville and Columbus are part of the same advertising market, however, WWB has shown that Aragon and Rome are not part of the same advertising market. Under Subfactor 8, the extent to which Ashville relies on the larger metropolitan area for municipal services, the Audio Division made a favorable finding. WWB has presented evidence to support a similar finding. Aragon is inconclusive under Subfactor 1, does not meet Subfactor 2, but passes the independence test under Subfactors 3 through 8. Since Aragon meets 6 of the 8 subfactors, based on existing precedent, WWB has offered evidence to show that Aragon is



independent of Rome and Dalton. Aragon deserves its own local radio station.

7. WWB again states that, if WWB's petition is granted, WWB will file an application for Channel 296C1 at Aragon, and will construct the facilities at Aragon if its application is granted.

8. In light of the foregoing, WWB respectfully requests the Audio Division to make the proposed allotment changes and permit the transmitter site of Station WTSH-FM to be changed, with the site restrictions and reference coordinates indicated below:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Aragon, Georgia <sup>12</sup>	-----	296C1
Rockmart, Georgia	296C2	----- <sup>13</sup>
Chattanooga, Tennessee	293C	293C0 <sup>14</sup>
Lynchburg, Tennessee <sup>15</sup>	293A	230A

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<sup>12</sup> **Aragon, Georgia, Allotment Coordinates:** 34-22-02 NL and 84-58-33 WL, at a site 36.4 km (22.6 miles) north of Aragon.

<sup>13</sup> See note 3, *supra*.

<sup>14</sup> The reference coordinates for Station WSKZ(FM) will not change following its downgrade to Class C0.

<sup>15</sup> **Lynchburg, Tennessee, Allotment Coordinates:** 35-21-58 NL and 86-17-18 WL, at a site 12.1 km (7.5 miles) northeast of Lynchburg.

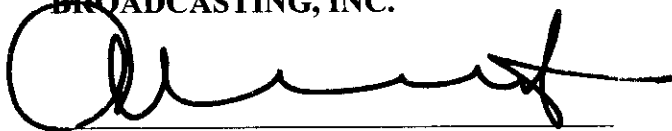
**Conclusion**

WWB requests the Commission to allot Channel 296C1 to Aragon, Georgia, and modify the license of WTSH-FM to operate on FM Channel 296C1 at Aragon. As stated *supra*, if the Commission so modifies the license of WTSH-FM, WWB will timely file an application for minor change construction permit to operate WTSH-FM at Aragon, and upon grant thereof, WWB will construct the new facilities and operate them.

Respectfully submitted,

**WOMAN'S WORLD  
BROADCASTING, INC.**

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gary S. Smithwick', written over a horizontal line.

Gary S. Smithwick  
Its Attorney

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December 5, 2005

## **ATTACHMENT 1**

### **TECHNICAL STATEMENT**

WTSHFM – Rockmart, Georgia

In The Proposed Action  
DA 05-282 RM-11229

Aragon, Georgia

Engineering Statement

The distance between the three cities in question are:

Aragon to Rome, Georgia – 15.84 miles (25.50 km) Bearing 336.8 degree true.

Aragon to Dalton, Georgia – 50.16 miles (80.72 km) Bearing 5.61 degrees true.

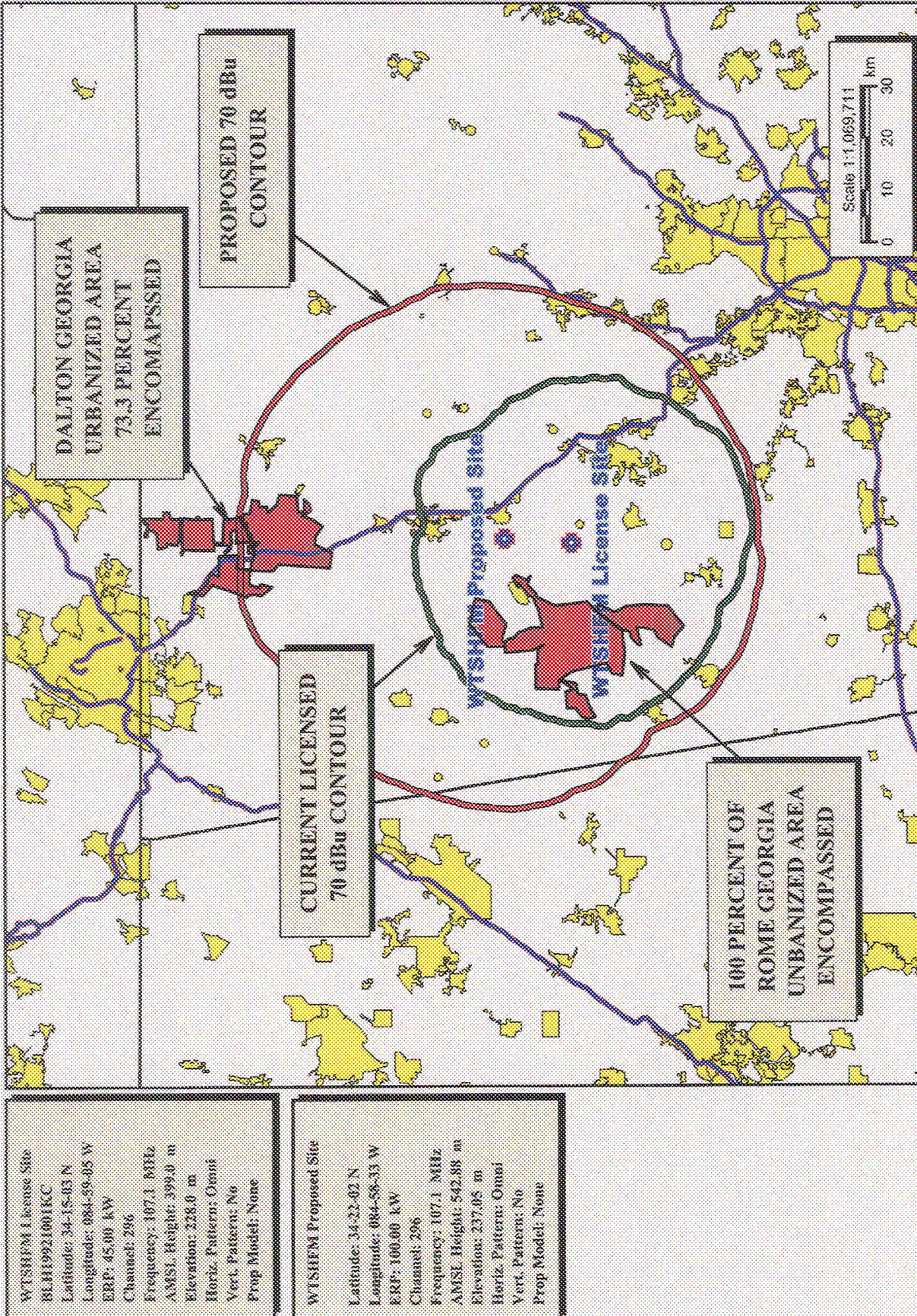
The calculation was conducted using the city center coordinates as issued by the US Census.

Attached, as an exhibit, is the City Grade (70.0 dBu) contours from the present and licensed site and the proposed site of WTSHFM.

The present and proposed city grade (70 dBu) contour covers 100 percent of the Rome Georgia urbanized area. The proposed city grade (70 dBu) contour covers approximately 74 percent of the Dalton Georgia urbanized area. These facts are outlined in the attached exhibit.

The calculations and attached exhibit are believed to be true and correct,

Clyde Scott, Jr.  
EME Communications  
293 JC Saunders Road  
Moultrie, GA 31768  
229-890-2506



## **ATTACHMENT 2**

### **STATEMENT OF MAYOR OF ARAGON, GEORGIA**



CITY OF ARAGON  
2814 Rome Highway  
Aragon, GA 30104  
(770) 684-6563  
Fax (770) 684-1177

Council members:  
Beverly Clinton  
Eugene Smith  
Patricia Jackson  
Billy E. Weaver

**Mayor Brenda Gazaway**

**City Clerk Lori Dunn**

December 2, 2005

Mr. Tony McIntosh  
WTSC FM South 107  
50 John Davenport Drive, NW  
Rome, Georgia 30165

RE: City of Aragon

Dear Mr. McIntosh:

Please be advised that I am the Mayor of the City of Aragon, Georgia.

Aragon is an incorporated self-dependent municipality. The Mayor and four (4) Council members are elected by the citizens of Aragon.

Aragon is self-supporting and has several tax sources, including property taxes (ad valorem), LOST sales tax, franchise fees, et cetera. The City of Aragon is not dependent on any urban areas, including but not limited to the City of Dalton and the City of Rome.

I and the residents of Aragon, Georgia view Aragon to be completely separate community from Rome or Dalton.

There are no radio stations that serve the City of Aragon.

We look forward to working with South 107.

If we can be of assistance, please advise us accordingly.

Very truly yours,

Brenda Gazaway

BG:br

## **ATTACHMENT 3**

### **STATEMENT OF CITY ATTORNEY OF ARAGON, GEORGIA**



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JAMES G. MEEKS, OF COUNSEL

*Weeks & Richardson*  
**ATTORNEYS AT LAW**  
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TELEPHONE: 706-290-9037  
FAX: 706-290-0576

December 2, 2005

Mr. Tony McIntosh  
WTSC FM South 107  
50 John Davenport Drive, NW  
Rome, Georgia 30165

RE: City of Aragon

Dear Mr. McIntosh:

Please be advised that we are the City Attorney for the City of Aragon, Georgia.

Aragon is an incorporated self-dependent municipality that has a Mayor and four (4) council members.

The City is self-supporting and has several tax sources; including property taxes (ad valorem), LOST sales tax, et cetera.

I and the residents of Aragon, Georgia view Aragon to be a completely separate community from Rome or Dalton.

There are no radio stations that serve the City of Aragon to our knowledge.

If you need any other information, please advise us accordingly.

Very truly yours,

  
W. Gene Richardson

WGR:br

## **ATTACHMENT 4**

**DECLARATION OF RANDY QUICK  
GENERAL MANAGER OF WTSH-FM**

## DECLARATION

Randy Quick, under penalty of perjury, declares as follows:

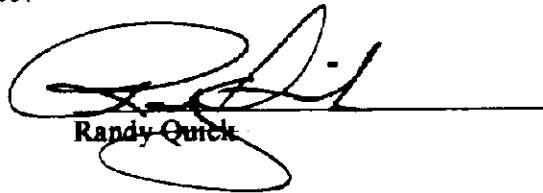
I am General Manager of Station WTSH-FM, Rockmart, Georgia. I am familiar with the Aragon, Georgia, area.

Part of my duties as General Manager of WTSH-FM involves the sale of advertising time. Based on my knowledge of the local area, I know that Aragon is not a part of the Rome or Dalton advertising markets. The closest community with media is Rockmart, which is not within an Urbanized Area.

I also know that Aragon does not have a separate telephone book. Aragon does not share a telephone directory with Rome, but does share a telephone directory with listing for Rockmart and Polk County, Georgia.

Aragon has no local newspaper or local cable television local access channel.

Executed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2005.



Randy Quick

## **ATTACHMENT 5**

**DOCUMENTS PRINTED FROM INTERNET  
ON COMMUNITY STATUS OF ARAGON**



# U.S. Census Bureau

American FactFinder

## FACT SHEET

### Aragon city, Georgia

#### Census 2000 Demographic Profile Highlights:

#### General Characteristics - show more >>

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Total population	1,039			map	brief
Male	500	48.1	49.1%	map	brief
Female	539	51.9	50.9%	map	brief
Median age (years)	34.1	(X)	35.3	map	brief
Under 5 years	91	8.8	6.8%	map	
18 years and over	757	72.9	74.3%		
65 years and over	116	11.2	12.4%	map	brief
One race	1,031	99.2	97.6%		
White	1,010	97.2	75.1%	map	brief
Black or African American	7	0.7	12.3%	map	brief
American Indian and Alaska Native	9	0.9	0.9%	map	brief
Asian	1	0.1	3.6%	map	brief
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.1%	map	brief
Some other race	4	0.4	5.5%	map	
Two or more races	8	0.8	2.4%	map	brief
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	18	1.7	12.5%	map	brief
Household population	1,039	100.0	97.2%	map	brief
Group quarters population	0	0.0	2.8%	map	
Average household size	2.60	(X)	2.59	map	brief
Average family size	3.08	(X)	3.14	map	
Total housing units	424			map	
Occupied housing units	399	94.1	91.0%		brief
Owner-occupied housing units	264	66.2	66.2%	map	
Renter-occupied housing units	135	33.8	33.8%	map	brief
Vacant housing units	25	5.9	9.0%	map	

#### Social Characteristics - show more >>

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Population 25 years and over	698				
High school graduate or higher	418	59.9	80.4%	map	brief
Bachelor's degree or higher	50	7.2	24.4%	map	
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	93	11.6	12.7%	map	brief
Disability status (population 5 years and over)	227	23.5	19.3%	map	brief
Foreign born	7	0.7	11.1%	map	brief
Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	250	59.2	56.7%		brief
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	244	57.4	52.1%		brief
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	18	1.9	17.9%	map	brief

#### Economic Characteristics - show more >>

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	483	57.5	63.9%		brief
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	33.0	(X)	25.5	map	brief
Median household income in 1999 (dollars)	31,053	(X)	41,994	map	
Median family income in 1999 (dollars)	39,167	(X)	50,046	map	
Per capita income in 1999 (dollars)	15,084	(X)	21,587	map	
Families below poverty level	32	11.0	9.2%	map	brief
Individuals below poverty level	184	17.5	12.4%	map	

#### Housing Characteristics - show more >>

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Single-family owner-occupied homes	238				brief

Median value (dollars)	47,300	(X)	119,600	map	brief
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)			brief
With a mortgage (dollars)	593	(X)	1,088	map	
Not mortgaged (dollars)	203	(X)	295		

(X) Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary File 1 (SF 1) and Summary File 3 (SF 3)

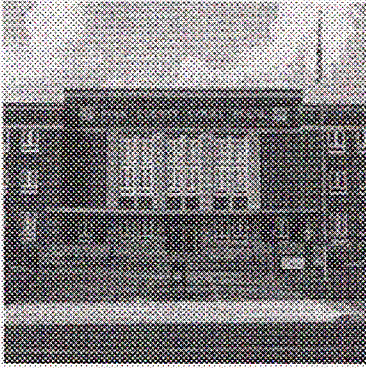
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Polk County Courthouse

## City of Aragon - Polk County

Originally part of Paulding County, Polk County was separated in 1851, about the same time that Cedartown came into existence. At the time throughout North Georgia a movement had begun to reduce travel time to the county government to less than two days. Over the next few years virtually every original county would cede some land to create a new county. Paulding County's county seat of Van Wert was not close enough to the center of the county, so Cedartown became the new seat of government.

### Profile

Incorporated: 1970

Population: 1,039

Total Area: 5 square miles

### Things To Do

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- [Cedar Valley Arts Festival](#)

### Contact Information

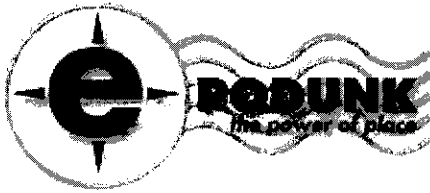
Website: N/A

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30104-2474

Phone: (770) 684-6563

Fax: (770) 684-1177

Email: [aragoncity@mindspring.com](mailto:aragoncity@mindspring.com)



## Aragon, Georgia

### ARAGON COMMUNITY PROFILE

Georgia > All counties > Polk County > Aragon

### Aragon, GA

Aragon is a city in Polk County, in the Cedartown metro area. The community is in the Eastern Standard time zone.

The latitude of Aragon is 34.045N. The longitude is - 85.056W.

The estimated population, in 2003, was 1,051.

#### Income snapshot

Median household income	
Local	\$31,053
National	\$41,994
Source: 2000 census, U.S. Census Bureau	

For more census details and comparisons, see our [Aragon demographic reports](#)

The community was named for the mineral aragonite, mined here

**Municipal address:**  
2814 Rome Highway  
Aragon, GA 30104

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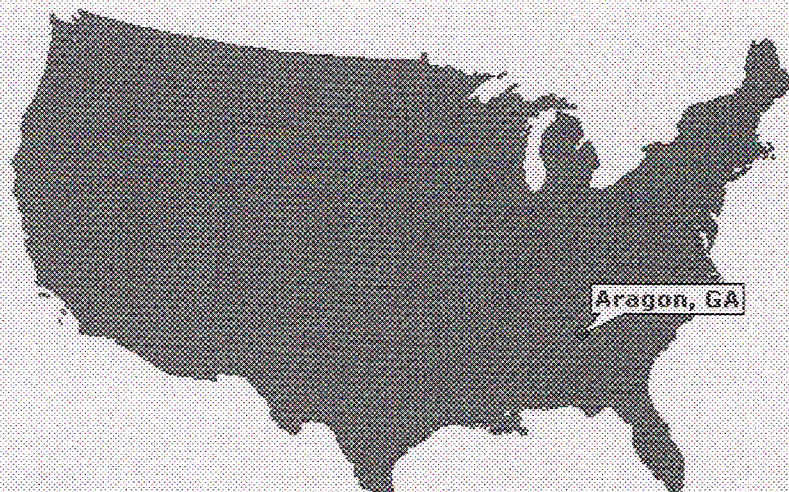
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